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Dear Sir:

In checking our files, we find that we have not received any Action in the above-identified application since the Petition Decision date of January 30, 2004. We are concerned with the possibility that an Office Action was issued and possibly misplaced or lost in the mail. Kindly check your files and let us know the status of this case. If any Action has been issued, we would appreciate it very

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